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IMPROVED COTTON CANDY MARKETING AND PACKAGING

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## <u>AMENDMENT</u>

In the specification, page 11, the first full paragraph has been amended and reads as follows:

In accordance with another aspect of the present invention, the container is sufficiently rigid to stackably support another container without compression of the cotton candy in any of the containers. In that way, a plurality of containers filled with cotton candy may be stacked and placed in a shipping structure or on a display shelf. The rigid, self-supporting container provides the wholesaler and retailer with a product which may be easily shipped, stored, and handled without damage to the delicate

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